



PATENT  
Customer No. 22,852  
Attorney Docket No. 06530.0279

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Ronald D. ADAMS )  
Application No.: 09/863,666 ) Group Art Unit: 3743  
Filed: May 23, 2001 ) Examiner: A. Ragonese  
For: ENDOLUMINAL ) Confirmation No.: 1136  
FUNDOPPLICATION DEVICE AND )  
RELATED METHOD FOR )  
INSTALLING TISSUE FASTENER )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**NOTICE OF ASSIGNEE NAME CHANGE**

Effective January 1, 2005, the assignee of this case, Scimed Life Systems, Inc., has changed its name to Boston Scientific Scimed, Inc. Applicant requests that this Notice be placed in the file.

Respectfully submitted,

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